



SEVEN PANELS

I&L DAY

What is the name of your school?

IES Mediterráneo

Do you have WiFi or access to computers? What do you use them for in school?

Yes, we do. We have computers with Internet access in some classrooms, especially in first and second year of Compulsory Secondary Education (ESO). We also have access to computers in other five ICT rooms. We use computers to watch videos, PowerPoint presentations, to correct our homework with our digital student's books, etc.

How many teachers are there in your school?

126 teachers.

When was your school founded?

1995/1996

What is your school lunch like?

We do not have lunch time in our school because the students have lunch at home. However, we have a canteen for break time where you can buy crisps, sweets, small pizzas, sandwiches, soft drinks, smoothies, etc.

How many students are there in your school?

1,286 students.

How old are the students in your school?

It depends on the level:
Compulsory Secondary Education (ESO): 12-15 years old.
Non-compulsory Secondary Education (Bachillerato): 16-18 years old.
Vocational Training: 19-20.

What subjects are compulsory?

At Secondary Education (ESO): Spanish Language and Literature, English, Maths, Science or Biology, Technology, ICT, Music, Art, P.E., Geography and History, Physics and Chemistry (fourth year).
Non-compulsory Education (Bachillerato): Spanish Language and Literature, English, Philosophy, Spanish History and P.E.
Vocational Training (there are different subjects depending on the branch they choose, for example Labour Guidance, First Aids, English, Enterprising Initiatives, etc.).

What other staff members do you have in your school besides teachers?

There are three cleaners, three caretakers, two people who work at the school canteen, three secretaries and a maintenance man.

What subjects are optional?

Religion/Study and French/Maths or Language support.

What kind of printed materials do you have, eg. course books, handouts?

We use course books for most of the subjects and teachers give us a lot of handouts. We use some books about literature and culture depending on the level we are.

Do you have a lot of electronic course materials?

Yes, we do. We have computers, digital boards, projectors, some laptops but not in all classes.

What kind of computer and internet-based tools are used in lessons?

There is a computer, projector and digital board in all bilingual classrooms. All the students in these groups have an English blog so they usually use Internet. There are five ICT rooms for the rest of the students and they can use them if the teacher books them in advance.

How often does your schedule change during the school year?

The timetable does not change during the year.

How is your school year divided (do you have periods, modules, terms, etc.)?

Our school year is divided into 3 terms. We also have some bank holidays all throughout the year.

What kind of holidays do you have?

We have some holidays for Christmas (about 18 days), Easter (10 days) and summer holidays (July and August). We also have some bank holidays and some days off for different festivities and some other reasons.

What kind of groups do you have? How many students do you typically have in a group? Do you always study with the same group?

Students are usually in the same group depending on the level they are. However, students can sometimes change the group as in Religion or in French classes. There are about 25 students in each group.

What is the structure of a typical school day like?

Our school day starts at 8:15 a.m. We have 3 lessons and a break. Then, we have 3 more lessons. We go home at 14:10 p.m. The school structure changes for our students in Vocational training as they have classes in the afternoon and in the evening too.

How do you address your teachers (Sir/Ma'am/first name/something else)?

We call our teachers 'teacher' or we call them by their names.

How long are the lessons?

Each lesson lasts 55 minutes.

What are your classrooms like?

There are desks and chairs for every student. There are also 4 or 5 windows in each classroom. There is also a desk for the teacher with a PC (bilingual classrooms) and there is at least a blackboard. There are also posters, hangers and a notice board.

What do you do during breaks? How long are your breaks?

We go to the school playground and we have our snacks or go to the canteen. We can also go to the library or to play chess. This is a good way to relax from our lessons.

The break is for 25 minutes.

